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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: ITOH et al. Conf.: 3467
Appl. No.: 09/763,985 Group: 1642
Filed: February 28, 2001 Examiner: L. R. HELMS
For: NOVEL TUMOR ANTIGEN PROTEIN SART-3 AND
TUMOR ANTIGEN PEPTIDES THEREOF

REPLY TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT
AND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

August 19, 2002

Sir:

In reply to the Restriction Requirement dated July 3, 2002, the due date for reply having been extended one (1) month to September 3, 2002 by petition herein, the following amendments remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-2 without prejudice or disclaimer of the subject matter contained therein.

Please amend the claims as follows:

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01 FC:103
02 FC:115

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